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COPOLYAMIDE, COMPOSITION)	
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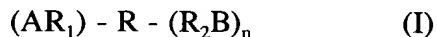
Sir:

In reply to the Official Action mailed December 17, 2001, Applicants submit the following amendments and remarks.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Kindly replace claims 1 and 17 as follows:

1. (Thrice Amended) Thermoplastic copolyamide resulting from the reaction between at least one polyfunctional monomer satisfying the following general formula I:



in which:

- n is an integer greater than or equal to 2,
- R₁, R₂ may be identical or different and represent a covalent bond or an aliphatic, arylaliphatic, aromatic or alkylaromatic hydrocarbon radical,
- R is a linear or branched aliphatic radical, a cycloaliphatic radical, an aromatic radical, or a polymeric chain,